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SUBJECT: INFORMATION NEEDS ON WEST EUROPEAN CONVENTIONAL
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1. FOR BERN, THE HAGUE, ROME, STOCKHOLM. YOUR RESPONSE
TO REFTEL A MOST HELPFUL.

2. FOR BONN, BRUSSELS, COPENHAGEN, LONDON, OSLO, PARIS.

DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE RESPONSE TO PARAGRAPHS 2B AND 2C OF REFTEL A BY MARCH 3. REALIZE THAT FULL RANGE OF INFORMATION REQUESTED MAY NOT REPEAT NOT BE READILY AVAILABLE, BUT WHATEVER YOU CAN PULL TOGETHER AS AN INTERIM REPLY WOULD BE VERY USEFUL.

3. FOR ALL ADDRESSEES. IN ADDITION, WE WOULD APPRECIATE BY MARCH 3 YOUR COMMENTS AS TO WHETHER HOST GOVERNMENTS HAVE AGGRESSIVELY PURSUED ARMS SALES POLICY AMONG LESS DEVELOPED COUNTRIES IN THE FACE OF US INITIATIVE TO REDUCE ITS OWN SALES. VANCE

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